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St Mary's, Greencastle; St Mary, Star of the Sea, Whitehouse; St James', Whiteabbey & St Colman's, Greenisland



8 September 2024

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS TIMES & SERVICES

SATURDAY VIGIL

5.00pm – Star of the Sea, Whitehouse **6.30pm** – St Mary's, Greencastle

SUNDAY MASS:

9.30am – St Colman's, Greenisland **11.00am** – St James', Whiteabbey

WEEKDAY MASSES:

St Colman's: Monday 10.00am

Star of the Sea, Whitehouse: Tuesday 7.00pm St Mary's, Greencastle: Wednesday 9.30am

St James': Friday 10.00am

MORNING PRAYER & COMMUNION SERVICE

St Colman's: Thursday 10.00am

ST PEREGRINE'S NOVENA:

First Monday of the month at 7.00pm in St Mary's, Greencastle

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR:

Every Tuesday at 7.00pm in Star of the Sea, Whitehouse

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Every Wednesday in St Mary's, Greencastle – 10.30am – 1.00pm

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:

After 10.00am Mass on Friday in St James'

DIVINE MERCY EVENING – Rosary, preaching, healing prayers and Eucharistic Adoration. Every second Friday 7.00pm – 9.30pm St James' Church.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are taking place on Saturdays in St Mary's, Greencastle. Please contact parish office for further information.

Parish Priest:

Fr. David Delargy

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(open Mon – Fri 9.00am – 1.00pm) **E-mail**: loughshore@downandconnor.org **website**: www.loughshoreparishes.org

Links to webcam via parish website or www.churchmedia.tv

The Loughshore Parishes is a member of the Loughshore Pastoral Community comprising the parishes of St Gerard's, St Mary's on the Hill, St Nicholas', Carrickfergus and the Loughshore Parishes

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Deirdre Williams, Gerard Mullan *Months Mind:* Archbishop Noël Treanor, Angela Scott (née Kelly)

Anniversaries: Sadie Mallon (4th), Liam Byrne, Betty Burke, Thomas O'Hagan (10th), Sheila O'Hagan (7th), Susan Rea, Daniel Rea, Mary Jane Gillen, Sean Gillen, Neilly McGuire, James & Sarah McGonigal, George McCourt

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday

Whitehouse 5pm - Sadie Mallon (4th)

Greencastle 6.30pm – Angela Scott née Kelly (MM) Sunday

St Colman's 9.30am – Betty Burke anniversary Tuesday

Whitehouse 7pm – Thomas O'Hagan (10th) & Sheila O'Hagan (7th)

Wednesday

Greencastle 9.30am – Hugh Kelly (recently deceased)

COLLECTION TOTALS FOR AUGUST

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Greencastle £882.00, Whitehouse £1,954.24 St James' £2,292.34, St Colman's £847.00

SECOND COLLECTION

Greencastle £360.00, Whitehouse £573.00, St James' £570.00, St Colman's £176.00

STIPEND

Greencastle £304.50, Whitehouse £734.31, St James' £209.00, St Colman's £389.00

DIOCESAN CATHEDRAL COLLECTION

Greencastle £93.10, Whitehouse £85.00, St James' £37.00, St Colman's £25.00

MASSES ARE BACK TO NORMAL THIS WEEKEND

The Summer Schedule is now over and Masses are back to normal this weekend. There will also be Masses as usual during the week.

ST PEREGRINE NOVENA will be on Monday 9th September at 7pm in St Mary's, Greencastle

THE MONTHS MIND MASS for Archbishop Noël Treanor will be celebrated on Sunday 8th September at 5.00pm in St Peter's Cathedral, Belfast.



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SEASON OF CREATION 2024

To Hope and Act with Creation
1 September to 4th October (Feast of St Francis of Assisi)

"Future generations will never forgive us if we miss the opportunity to protect our common home. We have inherited a garden; we must not leave a desert for our children." Joint statement from Pope Francis, the Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew and Archbishop Justin Welby of Canterbury.

Pope Francis' prayer during the month of September, when the Church observes the "Season of Creation", is "that each of us might listen with our hearts to the cry of the earth and of the victims of environmental disasters and climate change, making a personal commitment to care for the world we inhabit". Resources can be found on the following websites:

Season of Creation 2024 | Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference and Season of Creation



OUR LADY'S ROSARY FESTIVAL BELFAST 2024

Saturday 5th October *The Camino of St Michael the Archangel* From St Peter's Cathedral to St Michael's Church. Begins with Angelus at 12pm. Visiting 9 churches to honour the 9 Choirs of Angels.

Sunday 6th October Céilí – *Traditional Irish Music & Dance* Immaculate heart of Mary Church Hall, Antrim Road at 7.15pm. Tickets available after Sunday Masses. Tuesday 8th October – *Be Reconciled* St Mary's Chapel Lane at 6.30pm. Night fever with led Adoration, Confession and Holy Mass (light refreshments afterwards)

Thursday 10th October – *Divine Goals* Immaculate Heart of Mary Church Hall, Antrim Road at 7pm. A night to talk about sport and faith with former Premier League player Fr Philip Mulryne and GAA Manager Mickey Harte

Saturday 12th October – *Blessed Carlo Acutis Youth Retreat* St Paul's Church and Parish Centre at 12pm. A light Lunch will be provided. Youth 2000 Retreat with Adoration, Holy Mass and Testimonies.

Sunday 13th October – *Our 21st Annual Rosary Procession* From St John's Church to St Peter's Cathedral 2.30pm. The Procession will be followed by Benediction in St Peter's Cathedral and a Catholic Organisations' Fair afterwards in the Cathedral Hall.

SMA NOVENA 2024

In honour of St. Thérèse Of the Child Jesus, Patroness of the Missions

Monday 23rd September to Tuesday 1st October Daily Mass & Novena Prayers. At 10.00am & 7.30pm SMA Chapel Dromantine. All Welcome.

Also, via webcam (www.sma.ie)

African Missions, Dromantine, Newry, BT34 1RH



WHITEABBEY SCOUTS LEADERS NEEDED

Would you be willing to give up an hour a week to make a difference to the lives of young people? 7th Antrim Scout Group

are asking for volunteers to become scout leaders. No experience is necessary and all training will be provided. For an informal chat email Ciaran at <u>Whiteabbeyscouts@gmail.com</u> or call him on 077 3960 9567.

SPECIAL BELFAST PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

(Limited availability) EX Dublin Easter 2025, Flying with TAP airlines, Also 13th June 2025 for Feast of Saint Anthony, 13th October 2025 for Miracle of Sun Contact James Treacy 00353 61921470 jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com Payment by instalments acceptable LAST REMAINING SEATS

CÉILÍ DANCING CLASSES in St James' Hall will recommence on Monday 23rd September at 7.30pm.



BINGO

There will be bingo on Saturday 28th September at 7.30pm in St James' Hall. Tea and coffee will be served. Books are £10

IRISH FOR BEGINNERS

Irish Language Classes for Beginners will be starting in Greencastle Methodist Church on Tuesday 24th September. Classes will run each Tuesday morning from 10.30am – 12pm. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be supplied. Voluntary donation of £20 per term.

GLENGORMLEY SCHOOL OF TRADITIONAL

MUSIC OPEN DAY on Sunday 8th September 2-4 pm in Edmund Rice College, Hightown Rd Glengormley. Classes resume 12/9/24 please see website, gsotm.org